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PRINCETON PRESBYTERY AT STURGIS

Resulting in a final and glorious
Time. Meeting held in New
Church.

Princeton Presbytery of the
Cumberland Presbyterian Church
met with the Sturgis congrega-
tion, April 5th 1910, at 7-30 p. m.

Rev. J. R. King, the retiring
Moderator preached the opening
sermon from Romans 1: 16.

Elder R. M. Lisman was elec-
ted Moderator. The roll call
showed that nine ordained minis-
ters were present, with two can-
didates; Twenty-nine congrega-
tions were represented.

Oh Wednesday, at 11 o'clock,
the Presbytery observed the Sac-
rament of the Lord's Supper.
Rev. G. L. Woodruff preached
from Romans 8: 17. Rev. J. T.
Barbee administered the sacra-
ment.

On Wednesday evening at
7:30 Rev. C. M. Zwingle, of In-
diana Presbytery, and pastor of
our church at Evansville, Ind.,
preached from Matthew 22:42.
All were delighted with the ser-
mon.

Thursday morning was spent
in discussing an interesting pro-
gram for Sunday Schools and
Young Peoples' Work.

Rev. Milton L. Clemens, of
Hopkinsville, preached at 11
o'clock, from 2nd Kings, 6:6.

The next Presbytery will meet
with the Madisonville congrega-
tion.

H. N. LAME,
Stated Clerk.

SOCIETY.

One of the most delightful
entertainments given in honor of
Mrs. H. H. Sayre, of Ardmore,
Okla., was the card party given
at the home of Miss Ruby James
last Thursday afternoon. Mrs.
Sayre was awarded the visitor's
prize. The refreshments con-
sisted of ice cream, cake, mints,
salted almonds and coffee. The
guests were: Mesdames H. H.
Sayre, Sam Gugenheim, E. J.
Hayward, W. D. Baird, R. F.
Haynes and W. V. Haynes;
Misses Della Barnes, Mary Cam-
eron, Kitty Gray, and Leaffa
Wilborn.

On last Monday afternoon,
Mrs. J. W. Wilson entertained
informally a few friends in hon-
or of Mrs. H. H. Sayre. The af-
ternoon was very pleasantly
spent in conversation, inter-
persed with a bit of "fancy
work," with Mrs. Wilson presid-
ing at the tea table in her usual,
charming manner.

Last Monday in honor of her
guest, Mrs. H. H. Sayre, a
luncheon was given by Mrs.
George P. Roberts. The dining
room was beautiful decorated
with ferns, sweet peas and smil-
ax. The luncheon was served
in four courses and consisted of
all the tempting delicacies of the
season. Covers were laid for
eight, and the guests were: Mes-
dames H. H. Sayre, Sam Gugen-
heim, S. T. Dupuy, J. W. Wil-
son, Tom Clifton, R. F. Haynes
and Miss Ruby James.

On last Wednesday afternoon
Miss Della Barnes and Mrs. J.
I. Clement very delightfully en-
tertained a few friends at 500
in honor of Mrs. H. H. Sayre. The
refreshments were delicious and
consisted of Neapolitan cream
and cake and salted nuts.

OUR WEEKLY NEWS LETTER FROM WASHINGTON

What Our Great Men are Doing, The
Measures They Favor, Other
Things of Interest.

Washington, D. C. — (Special)
The River and Harbor appropri-
ation bill, which, in all probab-
ility will be reported to the Senate
this week, will carry between
forty-eight and fifty millions of
dollars in many ways gives prom-
ise of being the most scientific-
ally prepared bill which the
committees of the two Houses,
dealing with the rivers and har-
bors of the United States, have
ever reported. In addition to
liberal appropriations for the
larger projects, it will carry some
interesting items affecting the
smaller rivers of the United
States, which are sought to be
improved for the benefit of the
communities along their courses,
and it will carry in the neigh-
borhood of \$75,000 for the de-
struction of the water hyacinth
which grow luxuriantly in some
of the streams of the south seri-
ously interfering with naviga-
tion. These hyacinths originally
came from Florida. When
New Orleans had its exposition
in 1884-5 the water hyacinth was
brought from Florida and sold as
a curiosity to visitors attending
that exposition. They were
planted in the states of Louisi-
ana and Texas and so rapid were
their growth that instead of be-
ing a decorative plant they have
almost become a curse to the
people living along southern wa-
ters particularly in the bayous
of the Pelican State.

Congressman Broussard, of
Louisiana, realizing that the
work of the Engineer Board of
the Army, looking to the de-
struction and extermination of
the water hyacinth, has been but
a drop in the bucket, contem-
plates the introduction of the
hippopotamus as one means to
bring about the extermination
of the hyacinth and to that end
has introduced a bill in Congress
appropriating \$250,000 to begin
the propagation of this animal.
Recently a hearing was had on
the Broussard bill before the
Committee on Agriculture at
which were present Captain
Fritz Duquesne, formerly of the
Boar Army, Doctor Irwin and
Major Burnham a naturalist who
has a great deal of experience
both in Africa, in this country
and in Mexico. This hearing
has aroused the very liveliest in-
terest and the newspapers of the
country are devoting columns to
the discussion, of what gives
promise of being of the first im-
portance in solving the problem,
or at least going far towards
solving the problem, of our meat
supply.

Congressman Broussard, in
speaking of his bill said:—"If
the government fails to appro-
priate the amount asked for in
my bill I am in a position to say
that the introduction of the hip-
popotamus into at least some of
the bayous of Louisiana will be
undertaken by a commercial
company shortly to be organized.
Their introduction into the wa-
ters of the south is believed to be
wholly feasible for the climatic
conditions of my state are very
similar to those that prevail in
Africa, the home of the hippo-
potamus.

"African streams and African
rivers are kept entirely clean of
water hyacinth by the hippopot-
amus and other animals like the
water buffalo. The pictures of

the Roosevelt expedition show
the rivers of Africa clean of
aquatic plants like the water hy-
acinth and our streams could be
cleaned up the same way and
navigation made possible where
it is now impossible for steam-
ers to operate, on account of the
rank growth of this plant which
we have been endeavoring to ex-
terminate for many years by
spraying, dredging and cutting.
Then again the introduction of
the hippopotamus would go far
toward solving the problem of
our meat supply.

"The flesh of the hippopot-
amus is highly esteemed and
when salted and cured is known
in the Cape of Good Hope as
"Zee-koe-speck," or Lake-cow-
bacon. The fatty mass lying
between the skin and the flesh
or muscles is considered one of
the purest animal fats and is in
great demand among the Cape
Colonists. These massive ani-
mals were to the English settlers
in Cape Colony what our buffa-
lo was to the pioneers in the set-
tlement of our great prairies and
like the buffalo were heedlessly
almost exterminated. Then again
the African buffalo, the bush-
buck and red-buck would also
be valuable additions to the state
which I have the honor, in part,
to represent. Because these ani-
mals have not been introduced
is not a sound reason why they
should not be. Seriously we
need every additional species
that it is possible to secure be-
fore its extermination takes place.
Of the more than one hundred
species whose flesh is both palat-
able and nutritious we can find
a place somewhere in our great
country that will be adapted to
the successful propagation of
each.

"We are now consuming on an
average eight ounces of meat per
day for each inhabitant or fifteen
billion pounds per annum. At
the same rate of consumption as
now, in 1950 when we will have
two hundred millions of people,
it will require one hundred mil-
lion pounds per day or twenty
million tons per annum, and in
order to provide for this enor-
mous increase in consumption we
must secure animals adapted to
areas that are now non-produc-
ing. Its a condition and not a
theory that confronts us.

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The Agricultural Committee
of the House has been one of the
very busiest of the committees of
Congress during the present ses-
sion. Besides the regular ap-
propriation bill which occupied
upwards of a month in prepara-
tion, the committee has had long
drawn out hearings on the bill
to create a great forest reserve
along the Appalachian mountains
as well as upon the bill to
prohibit the sale of cotton for
future delivery. The latter mea-
sure brought to Washington cot-
ton growers and cotton specu-
lators from all sections of the
country and developed some very
interesting information as to the
methods of "Boosting" and de-
pressing the price of that staple,
especially in New York and New
Orleans. But it is doubtful if
there will be any legislative out-
come of the hearings at the pres-
ent session.

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The next measure of National
importance to be considered by
the committee will be the vari-
ous bills, there are nearly a doz-
en of them, to amend the law
relating to the manufacture and
sale of oleomargarine. While
action by Congress at the pres-
ent session is unlikely it is prob-

ANNUAL REPORT OF YEARS WORK.

Good Showing Put up By Rev. J. F.
Price of the Presbyterian
Church

No. of letters written	1490
No. of miles traveled	7789
No. of meetings held	12
No. of sermons	275
No. of lectures	49
No. of professions of faith	159
No. of additions	91
No. of churches visited	54
No. of personal visits	408
Amount collected	\$568.16

I have earnestly endeavored to
encourage the churches to make
liberal offerings to the Board,
much of which never came
through my hands. It has been
a year of successful revivals, and
the churches visited have been
encouraged in the work. Quite
a number of Sunday schools have
adopted the missionary plans of
the boards through my efforts.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

All persons knowing them-
selves indebted to the estate of
Dr. J. O. Dixon, deceased, will
please settle same with us or our
attorney, and all parties having
claims against his estate are re-
quested to present same properly
proven to our attorney Jno. Blue,
jr., at as early a date as possible.
P. B. CROFT, Administrators
W. E. DOWELL, Dr. J. O. Dixon
able that in the near future the
law will be amended to the ex-
tent at least that manufacturers
of imitation butter will be com-
pelled to pack their products in
packages of uniform size, sealed
with an internal revenue stamp,
and that penalties will be provid-
ed for selling "oleo" in any-
thing but the original packages
just as smoking tobacco is sold
to-day.

FIVE GENERATIONS IN WELL KNOWN FAMILY.

Mrs. Polly James Living to Enjoy
Society of Her Great Great
Grand children.

Photographer, Joe Stewart, of
Marion, has recently completed
a very interesting group repre-
senting five generations of one
of the best known families in
Crittenden county.

Mrs. Polly James, who is the
eldest of the group, is the widow
of the late Smith James who is
remembered as one of the most
prosperous farmers of this county.
She is held in high esteem by all
who know her and is much loved
on account of the tender, lovable
motherly way which has charac-
terized her life. Although she
has attained a remarkable age
she is yet in possession of her
full mental faculties, moves about
with the alacrity of one many
years younger, and gives prom-
ise of living to add another name
to Crittenden's already well
known record for longevity.

The four remaining characters
are: Mrs. Eliza Paris, her only
daughter, Mrs. Sallie Prowell,
her grand daughter, John Prow-
ell, her grand son and his little
two-year old son, Walter Ray,
who is her great great grand son.
Although Walter Ray has always
been a very delicate child physi-
cally, a great deal of his life in
care of the family physician, he
has attracted much attention on
account of his extraordinary
mental powers. His bright little
face beams with intelligence;
this together with his friendly
and lovable disposition has made
him a general favorite and his
many friends predict that future
years hold flattering prospects
for him.

Mr. A. Dewey a prominent
flouring Mill man of Dycusburg,
was in Marion Monday.

COUNTY COURT CONVENE MONDAY.

Levy Court Convened Tuesday and
Much Important Business
Disposed of.

At the convening of the coun-
ty court Monday presided over
by Judge Walter A. Blackburn,
but little business of interest
was transacted.

An extra session of the Levy
court was held Tuesday in which
much business was done.

The sheriff's settlement was
ordered to be printed in con-
densed form and the delinquent
tax list of each Magisterial given
to a collector at 50 cents on
the dollar.

The court voted \$200.00 to
each Magisterial district for a
road grader and split-log drags.
The plow and team will be al-
most completely abolished.

Three new graders were or-
dered purchased making four in
all. This gives one to every
two districts. Two Magistrates
are ordered to go with each
grader and for their services are
to receive \$2.00 per day.

Capt Carl Henderson and
Judge Walter Blackburn were
appointed to rush the town
Board of Marion on the comple-
tion of the new public lot and
hitching places.

The health officers salary was
fixed at \$100.00 a year.

The meeting of our honored
"County Dads" proved a har-
monious one, with everything
moving like clock work.

Don't fail to attend the Elec-
tric Theatre at the Magestic to-
night as something special will
be given. Mr. Sigler is giving
a series of splendid entertain-
ments every night, and will in a
very short time give a series of
the most exciting and interest-
ing ever put on in Marion.
Every night you go to his show
you get your money's worth.
The entertainment Monday
night was the best we ever saw.

RESOLVED
THAT WE NEVER SLEEP, THAT IS
YOU CAN'T CATCH US NAPPING.
IF YOU HAVE NIGHT CLOTHES AND
BED CLOTHES YOU CAN WEAR
THEM ALL THE TIME. WE CAN
FIT YOU OUT IN THE NICEST
RAYMENT FOR LESS THAN OTHERS
CAN WHO DON'T KNOW THEIR BUSI-
NESS. WE HAVE MADE A STUDY OF
IT AND WE ARE ALWAYS
AWAKE.
BUSTER BROWN.



WATCHING THE MARKET WITH BOTH EYES
ALL OF THE TIME FOR REARS HAS MADE US
ABLE TO GET THE RIGHT STUFF FOR THIS
COMMUNITY. GOODS HAVE NOT BEEN SOLD
TO US; WE HAVE BOUGHT THEM. WE OWN
THEM CHEAP; WE SELL THEM REASONABLY.
WE ARE ONE FIRM THAT MAKES A PROFIT ON
OUR GOODS. DON'T YOU WANT TO DEAL
WITH A STORE THAT MAKES A PROFIT AND
IS WIDE AWAKE? THE FOLLOWING THING
WILL OPEN YOUR EYES:
ALL THE BEST CALICO 5C. PER YRD.
LOOM END CALICO 3C. PER YRD. OUR ENTIRE
STOCK CHEAP.

RESPECTIVELY,
H. V. STONE,
Marion, Kentucky

NEW SPRING GOODS OF
ALL KINDS
NEW DESS SILK 35CTS.
PER YARD
NEW GINGHAMS 10 AND
12C.
SEE OUR SLIPPER FOR
EASTER
SUITS FOR YOUNG MEN
\$10.00 AND \$10.00
THEY ARE UP-TO-DATE
COME AND GET OUR
PRICES BEFORE YOU
BUY
NEW HAT AND CAPS
MATTING, RUGS AND
LACE CURTAINS